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SENATE BILL 313

Short Title: License Plate/Retired Register of Deeds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Bingham (Primary Sponsor); Hise and Waddell.

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate.

March 18, 2015

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO DEFINE WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A RETIRED REGISTER OF
DEEDS SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 20-79.4(b)(190) reads as rewritten:

"(190) Register of Deeds. – Issuable to a register of ~~deeds~~deeds of a county of this State. The plate shall bear the words "Register of Deeds" and the letter "R" followed by a number representing the county of the register of deeds. The number of a county shall be the order of the county in an alphabetical list of counties that assigns number one to the first county in the list. A plate issued to a retired register of deeds shall bear the phrase "Register of Deeds, Retired," followed by a number that indicates the county where the register of deeds served and a designation indicating the retired status of the register of deeds. For purposes of this subdivision, a "retired register of deeds" is a person (i) with at least 10 years of service as a register of deeds of a county of this State and (ii) who no longer holds that office for any reason other than removal under G.S. 161-27."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

